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1. FOLLOWING THE SUGGESTION IN PARAGRAPH NINE OF  
REFTEL C THE MISSION TALKED WITH SARDI, ITALIAN PERMREP  
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OFFICIAL IN CHARGE OF ARTICLE XXIV:6 DISCUSSIONS.

WE SAID THAT EMBASSY ROME HAD SPOKEN WITH SEVERAL ITALIAN GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS (REFTEL B&C) AND THAT AMBASSADOR EBERLE HAD SUMMONED AMBASSADOR ORTONA (REFTEL A) TO MAKE CLEAR THAT CITRUS WAS A LINCHPIN IN THE SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF ARTICLE XXIV:6 NEGOTIATIONS.

2. WE REFERRED TO THE CONVERSATION IN WHICH AMBASSADOR BOMBASSEI CONFIRMED TO AMBASSADOR GREENWALD FERRARI-AGGRADI'S COMMITMENT (REFTEL E). IN THAT CONVERSATION AMBASSADOR BOMBASSEI HAD SAID HE WOULD WORK OUT TACTICS WITH SOAMES AND WELLENSTEIN. WE ASKED ABOUT THE STATUS OF THE ITALIAN OFFER.

3. SARDI SAID HE HAD RECEIVED NO NEWS FROM ROME ON THIS SUBJECT SINCE THE RESIGNATION OF FERRARI-AGGRADI. NOR HAD HE HEARD FURTHER ON THE ITALIAN REACTION TO THE SUNKIST PROPOSAL. WE INFORMED HIM THAT SUNKIST HAD RECEIVED GOOD QUALITY JUICE SAMPLES (REFTEL D). SARDI SAID THAT HE WOULD INQUIRE OF ROME IMMEDIATELY BOTH ON THE STATUS OF AN ITALIAN CITRUS OFFER AND ON THE REACTION TO THE SUNKIST PROPOSALS. GREENWALD

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